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Applicants request consideration of the references listed on the attached PTO-1449 form. Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98 (a)(2)(ii), only copies of foreign patent documents and/or non-patent literature are enclosed. A copy of the listed U.S. patent can be provided upon request.

Applicants submit reference AA, i.e., U.S. Patent 6,690,572, which corresponds to foreign language reference AL, i.e., DE 10164354. Also submitted herewith is an English abstract of foreign language reference AM.

This statement is being filed before the receipt of a first Office Action on the merits. Please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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